

Hello Fellow Dancers,

Saturdays

December 7 - 1st Saturday - OLYMPIA ELKS 1st

Saturday Dance Party with a

Merengue dance lesson from 7-8 pm then Live Music
by **the Tropics Duo** for social dancing from 8-10:30

pm. Cover charge at the door is **just \$10 for all Elks members and \$12 for all others**. Everyone is welcome. Singles & Couples. All ages. No partner needed. Call (360)753-0186 for more information. Olympia Elks, 1818 4th Ave E, Olympia. <https://www.facebook.com/events/516346761378701>

Upcoming Olympia Elks 1st Saturday Dances with live music (for your calendar):

January 4 - American Tango dance lesson from 7-8 pm

NO DANCE THIS MONTH - 2nd Saturday - USA Dance Tacoma at

Pacific Ballroom in Auburn with DJ Rick

Gossard <https://www.facebook.com/groups/192216785186/>

December 21 - 3rd Saturday - Love to Dance Club at the Olympia Elks

with live music by **CC**. Call (360)701-0600 or email lovetodanceclub@gmail.com

December 21 - 3rd Saturday - USA Dance Kitsap at Masonic Hall in

Bremerton with DJ Terry West

NO DANCE THIS MONTH - Dance Club of Grays Harbor at Hoquiam

Elks with DJ Mark

<http://www.danceclubgraysharbor.com/index.html>

December 28 - 4th Saturday - USA Dance Tacoma at Pacific Ballroom in

Auburn with DJ Terry West

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/192216785186/>

Sundays

Lady Luck's Cowgirl Up, 14114 Pacific Ave, Tacoma has **free** Sunday evening (4:00 to 8:00 pm) live music for

dancing. 253-538-4996 for more information. **December 1 - Band of Friends**, December 8 - No Band, **December 15 - Blues Redemption**, December 22 - No Band, **December 29 - Rock & Roll Magic**

Every Sunday - Free Dance & Lesson in Bremerton at Chaos Bay Brewing

Noon - Brunch, 1:00 Free Lesson by Michael Kheriaty, 2:00 Free Dancing
Chaos Bay Brewing, 2901 Perry Avenue, Bremerton, WA
<https://www.facebook.com/share/etJvJnoQXgw5QTXs/>

3rd Sunday this month - FREE - December 15 with SRO Big Band

GREATER OLYMPIA DIXIELAND/SWING SOCIETY. Dance to live music from **1 to 4:00 PM** on the **SECOND SUNDAY** of most months. Olympia Elks Lodge, 1818 4th Ave, Olympia. The Greater Olympia Dixieland/Swing Society sponsors a **FREE** dance the second Sunday of most months from 1-4 pm at the Olympia Elks Club. Dances are open to the public. A new live band each month. Everyone is welcome. Come dance to a variety of good music. Contact: mccrarydavid@hotmail.com for further information.

Mondays

The Star Recreation Center in Tacoma has Monday afternoon senior dances with Randy Litch from 1 to 3 PM. Easy parking, beautiful large dance floor, coffee and water provided all for just \$7. 3873 S 66th St Tacoma, WA 98409 · (253) 404-3939

Monday, December 2, 9, 16 - Line Dancing at the Olympia Elks with Monica

Line Dance lessons from 6 to 7:30 pm at the Olympia Elks, 1818 - 4th Ave. E., Olympia
Beginner lessons with additional time to practice what you know. \$10 -16 yr old and older, \$5 Elk members and 8-15 yr old, under 8
Free <https://www.facebook.com/events/2096225214150126/2096225234150124>

First Monday - December 2, January 6

~~last Monday - December 30~~
~~https://www.facebook.com/olydancingsociety/~~
Live Music on 3rd Tuesdays (with \$20 admission)
December 17 - Jessica Blinn & Friends plus Holiday Cookie Potluck

<https://www.facebook.com/events/1288125219204983>

Lacey Senior Center, 6757 Pacific Ave SE, Lacey, WA has resumed their **DANCE SOCIALS** on **TUESDAYS** from **1:30-3:30**. Cost is **\$10** for public and **\$7** for Senior Center members.

Second Tuesday Only - December 10 - 12:45-2:30 pm - music by Randy Litch

Center at Norpoint (4818 Nassau Ave NE Tacoma Wa 98522) Beautiful facility and big wood dance floor. Easy parking. Social dance for the 50 and up day dancing crowd! Water and coffee provided all for just \$7.
(253)404-3900

Wednesdays

Wednesday, January 15 is the Washington State Governor's Inaugural Ball at the Capitol Campus in Olympia from 7-11 pm. Go to <https://wastategovball.org/> for info & tickets.

Every Wednesday the BUCKLEY EAGLES features **live dance music** from **7 - 10 PM**. Currently, there is **no cover charge**. **The Buckley Eagles**, 29021 State Route 410 E., Buckley, WA; 360-829-1151. <https://www.facebook.com/Buckley-Eagles-1387-912459715499311>

December 4 - Andy Burnett, December 11 - Patty & the Travelin' Four, December 18 - Magic Boyz, Dec. 25 - No Band

MANHATTAN BALLROOM DANCE CLUB. 6:30 PM pre-dance lesson then dance on a 3,200 square foot floor from 7:30 to 9:30 PM. The recorded music is usually provided by **DJ Terry West or DJ Dave Green.** The cover charge is **\$13 for the public and \$10 for members.** The membership fee is \$25. The dances are held at the American Veterans Club (upper level), 5717 South Tyler, Tacoma. For more information visit their website at www.ManhattanClub.org or

email info@manhattanclub.org.

Christmas Dance - Wednesday, December 18th Wear your sparkles!
Christmas week dance - Thursday, December 26th (Wednesday is a holiday)
New Years week dance - Thursday, January 2nd (Wednesday is a holiday)
Black and White Ball - Wednesday, January 15th - Advance tickets required (tickets go on sale Dec. 11th)

STEEL CREEK RESTAURANT in Tacoma offers FREE partner dance classes every Wednesday, featuring CHAR & ALAN, from 8-9 PM. Followed by Music

Pingo 9-11 PM

~~indamoren@gmail.com - <https://www.facebook.com/BremertonElks778/>~~

T-TOWN SWING WEEKLY THURSDAY DANCES

Location: Olympia Eagles 3rd Floor, 805 4th Ave E, Olympia, at the corner of 4th and Plum, above the Eagles Hall.

Admission: \$10 at the door cash, card, check (Discounts for those that need it)

Many Elks Clubs and Eagles Clubs have live music and dancing for their members and guests. This includes:

Bremerton Elks, Port Orchard Eagles & Buckley Eagles on Fridays and Gig Harbor Eagles & South Tacoma Eagles on some Saturdays.

Ballroom dance classes are being offered in Tenino via the Tenino Parks & Rec Dept. Call (808) 212-4597 for info.

Argentine Tango - There is a growing community in the South Sound for Argentine Tango. Go here for information on dances, classes, etc.: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/850332669799778> <https://www.worldembracetango.com/>

Olympic Ballroom Dance LLC is located in Olympia, Washington, and offers dance classes for **adults** and youth and a performance team to **local youth**. <https://olybd.org/> <https://www.facebook.com/olyballroom>

Steel Creek in Tacoma and **Big Whisky** in Puyallup have Country & Line Dancing and lessons.

<https://www.steelcreekcountry.com/dance-lessons>

Contra Dances are held in **Olympia** (2nd & 4th Saturdays) and **Tacoma** (3rd Sundays 3:30-6):

<https://oly-wa.us/southbaygrange/contra.php>

<https://tacomacontradance.org/>

Olympia Square Dancing information is available at this website: OlympiaSquareDance.com

Studio 6 Ballroom in Tacoma has dances. Go to their webpage or Facebook for information: <https://studio6ballroom.com/events-studio-6-ballroom/> <https://www.facebook.com/Studio6Ballroom>

Email Robert Cottrell and ask to get his **weekly** email that covers **classes & dances** in the South Sound area.

His weekly email is a good way to find out about changes that occur after this monthly newsletter is sent.

rbcottrell@comcast.net

For information on dances in Seattle, Renton, Auburn etc. go to: <http://www.seattledanceinfo.com>



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Keep on dancing,

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